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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING THE TRANSITION
BETWEEN NORMAL OPERATION AND OVERRUN FUEL CUT-OFF
OPERATION OF AN OTTO ENGINE WHICH IS OPERATED WITH DIRECT
FUEL INJECTION.

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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application
as follows.